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Be sure to THANK your officers for their time, hard work, and dedication!

2025 PEO-TAZ CALENDAR

Event	Date	Place	Time
Monthly Meeting	Jan 5th	VFW post 3883	1:30pm
Monthly Meeting	Feb 2nd	VFW post 3883	1:30pm
Monthly Meeting	March 2nd	VFW post 3883	1:30pm
ABATE of IL Swap Meet	March 16th	Orr Building Springfield	
Legislative Day	March 19th	Floyd's Thirst Parlor, Springfield	8:00am
ABATE 3 Chapter Cookoff	March 22nd	VFW post 3883	Reg by 4:30pm
Monthly Meeting	April 6th	VFW post 3883	1:30pm
ABATE Freedom Rally	May 4th	Ride to Springfield	TBD
Monthly Meeting	June 1st	VFW post 3883	1:30pm
Monthly Meeting	July 13th	North Pekin Amvets Post 169, 660 Radio City Dr	1:30pm
Monthly Meeting	August 3rd	VFW post 3883	1:30pm
Monthly Meeting	Sept 7th	VFW post 3883	1:30pm
Monthly Meeting	Oct 5th	VFW post 3883	1:30pm
Monthly Meeting	Nov 2nd	VFW post 3883	1:30pm (Quarter Auction Follows)
Monthly Meeting	Dec7th	VFW post 3883	1:30pm

VFW POST 3883

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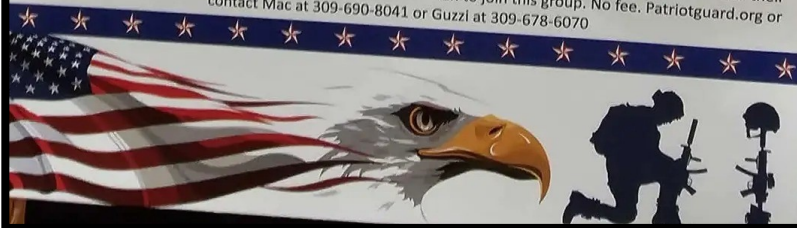
Members please bring a friend to a meeting.

Not a member? Please join us at a meeting we would love to meet you and answer any questions you have about ABATE of Illinois and our Peo-Taz chapter.



WHAT IS ABATE?

A BROTHERHOOD AIMED TOWARD EDUCATION ENSURES THAT THE RIGHTS AND FREEDOMS ENJOYED BY MOTORCYCLISTS/OFF-ROADERS/ATV RIDERS IN ILLINOIS WILL NOT DISAPPEAR. ABATE BELIEVES THAT FREEDOM OF CHOICE IS ONE WE CAN'T LOSE AND WILL WORK WITH STATE AND LOCAL LEGISLATORS TO ENSURE THAT FREEDOM IS NEVER LOST FOR MOTORCYCLISTS IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS. ABATE WILL ENSURE THAT MOTORCYCLES ARE A PRIMARY MODE OF TRANSPORTATION IN ILLINOIS AND SEE TO IT THAT MOTORCYCLISTS ARE INCLUDED IN ALL ASPECTS OF TRANSPORTATION PLANNING IN THE FUTURE.



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Spotlight Events!



Sunday 2pm-6pm

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Spotlight Events!



QUARTER AUCTION November 2nd 2025 VFW BARTONVILLE, IL

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Upcoming Officer Elections

Peo-Taz ABATE will soon be conducting Officer Elections. Below are letters of intent for those seeking position.:

- **Teresa Wood for Products Director:** I have been taking care of this side of the business for a few years now and would like to keep it moving forward. Thank you
- **Tami Christian for Public Relations:** I have learned a lot during my first year in this position. I have never met a stranger and have no issues reaching out to the members of the community. I am excited for the chance to improve on using the resources available and finding new resources over the next year if you allow it.
- **Shannon “WhattheheckamIthinking” Johnson for Membership:** I am doing it, been doing it. However, due to medical issues this may be my last term as I've been informed that I have a habit of over doing it. So, if you're interested in this position, would be happy to slowly show someone the ropes.
- **Patrick J Wood (Woody) for Legislative Representative:** I don't think I need to explain that at this point. But if someone feels I must, I will entertain that at that time.
- **Brenda Lane for Attendance:** I've done it for the last five years.

There are several Officer Positions available. If you have interest in any of these open positions, please contact a Peo-Taz ABATE Officer (contact information on page 2).

Positions available: Vice President; Secretary; Products; Membership; State Rep/Legislative; Public Relations, Attendance; Activities Director; Sergeant at Arms



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President

DAVE SALTER

Hello everyone it's getting colder and there is still time to ride and get some miles down. Abate is always fighting for motorcycle rights and safety. With all the construction around the area be aware of the uneven roads, gravel, sand, plus keeping the speed down through construction sights. For those of you getting the bikes ready for storage, yeah I know I said that horrific word storage, it's the perfect time to go over your bike front to back to make there isn't any surprises when your ready to get it out for a ride. Watch out for all the ghouls and goblins for Halloween and then it goes to stray turkeys. This time of year the other threat is deer, be alert and keep the speed down at night just incase. Well that's all for now keep the rubber side down and keep your knees in the wind. Stay safe.

-Dave Salter



CURRENT BILLS ABATE IS INVOLVED IN THAT AFFECT BIKERS:

- Riders Safety program bill or Illinois Senate Bill 2075, was signed into law in August 2025 with no opposition and with all yes votes. This bill expanded and improved motorcycle safety training across the state by establishing statewide standards, increasing the number of training providers beyond the sole existing center, and making courses more accessible and affordable for licensed residents aged 16 and older.
- “Dead Red” law now applies to all of Illinois, this allows for a bicycle or motorcyclist to proceed through a red light if it fails to change after two minutes. This is because smaller vehicles might not have enough pass to trigger the magnetic bands in the road.
- Helmet law is coming again next session. State Representative Hoan Huynh introduced a 2025 helmet bill, which was re-referred to the Rules Committee. Daniel Didech had introduced a similar bill in 2024.

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Treasurer

SUSAN SALTER

I want to thank everyone for the incredible effort put into this chapter. It's inspiring to see how effectively we're using our resources and funds. Producing and mailing the newsletters each month takes a lot of dedication, and I truly appreciate the work behind it. Even small contributions make a big difference—like the empty ink cartridges given to me, which are recycled and help reduce supply costs.

Our efforts have a direct and positive impact on the chapter's finances. It's encouraging to see us doing well with the fundraising activities, like our quarter auction, that is not only fun but also profitable.

I'm proud to play a small part in helping us move forward in a positive direction. –Susan Salter



DID YOU KNOW? STAY INFORMED FROM THE MOTORCYCLE RIDERS FOUNDATION (MRF)!

"RETURN OF THE MAC"

This week, the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) announced the reformation of the Motorcyclist Advisory Council (MAC). This comes a little over a month after board members received letters terminating their place on the MAC. While the designated membership categories for the Council remain the same as prescribed in federal law, the DOT has required that all 13 seats be refilled with new nominations.

The Motorcycle Riders Foundation (MRF) is proud to announce that it will once again support MRF Vice President Jay Jackson for the seat reserved for a national motorcyclist foundation. Jay has been a tireless advocate for riders nationwide, as proven by his selection to serve on the MAC last year.

The MRF is disappointed that the DOT chose to reshuffle the Council and remove already seated members. Stability and continuity are vital to ensuring the MAC can effectively advise the DOT on issues impacting riders. While this decision is frustrating, the MRF is determined to fight for Jay's reappointment and ensure the motorcyclist community continues to be represented by strong, experienced leadership.

The nomination process is moving more quickly than in past years, with an accelerated deadline of October 20th. The MRF will be working closely with our state partners and allies to secure the necessary letters of support to reinforce Jay's candidacy.

The restoration of the MAC is a critical moment for all riders. With issues like infrastructure, roadway design, and autonomous vehicle technology on the horizon, it is essential that the motorcyclist community has a seat at the table. The MRF remains committed to ensuring your voice is heard in Washington, D.C., and we will fight to see Jay Jackson has a spot on this important council.




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Membership

SHANNON JOHNSON

Howdy all! Ma and I got to go on the Blue Butt run again this year and with our tour guides Mike and Roe we finally some good riding time in. It was nice to enjoy our right to ride. Ya know that thing we all fight all year long for.

As of October 1st 2025 we have 140 active members.

We have our Gun/cash raffle going on. They are 10.00 a chance only 100 chances sold winners choice either a Taurus 38 revolver with a box of ammo (must have valid foed card) or \$500.00 cash. Must be 18 years old. Chances are sold at meeting or you can contact me directly.

Immediately following our November meeting will be our 8th annual quarter auction. Please see the flyer in this month's newsletter for more information. This is always a good time and we have had some awesome donations. This is one of our biggest fundraisers of the year. Please come and join in on the fun. You are bound to find some wonderful items.

Members due in November: Timothy Bunnell , Stephen Madden , Kerry Willey

Thank you and have a Groovy Day! - Shannon



DID YOU KNOW? STAY INFORMED FROM THE MOTORCYCLE RIDERS FOUNDATION (MRF)!

"Federal Government Shutdown"

As of Wednesday, at midnight, the federal government has officially shut down. While many agencies and offices are impacted, the Motorcycle Riders Foundation (MRF) wants our members to know that our advocacy efforts continue.

Congressional offices remain open, though many are operating with limited staff. The MRF team is still engaging with Members of Congress and their staff to make sure the priorities of the motorcycling community remain on the table, even during this period of disruption.

At the U.S. Department of Transportation, critical safety and regulatory functions continue, but other areas, including infrastructure grants, research, and many administrative programs are paused until funding is restored.

While this shutdown creates challenges, the MRF remains committed to advancing motorcyclists' interests in Washington, D.C. We will continue to work with the government employees who are still on the job and will be ready to move full speed ahead when the shutdown ends.

The right to be heard in our nation's capital does not shut down and the MRF will never stop fighting for the freedom and safety of America's riders.

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“2026 Legislative Agenda”

In September, at the 2025 Motorcycle Riders Foundation’s (MRF) 41st Annual Meeting of the Minds Conference held in Shreveport, LA, a legislative strategy session was hosted by the MRF’s Legislative Committee. The purpose of the session was to establish and prioritize the MRF’s 2026 Federal Legislative Agenda. Legislative issues fall into one of three priority categories: high, medium and monitor. This list remains fluid and may be adapted depending on the issue or political environment.

Below is a brief description of just the top 12 issues on the MRF’s 2026 agenda listed as “High Priority.” The January 2026 issue of the American Biker Journal will have more details on each of these High Priority issues, as well as the full list of an additional 12 priorities that fall in the “Medium” or “Monitor” classification. As a reminder, all MRF members receive a copy of the American Biker Journal with their membership. If you’re not a member of the MRF, click the button below to join and support our work in Washington, D.C. toward freedom and safety for street motorcyclists. The 2026 Motorcycle Riders Foundation Legislative High Priorities List includes:

- **Autonomous Vehicles:** Advocate and monitor any legislation or regulations related to motorcycles concerning connected and autonomous vehicles.
- **Crash Avoidance:** Continue to promote the theme of crash avoidance versus safer crashing, urging the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) and the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) to focus on crash prevention and support rider education by providing funding and other resources.
- **Data Recording:** Pursue legislative language that any collected or available vehicle data is the property of the consumer and in which the consumer has the choice of whether to opt-in to having their personal data communicated to interested parties.
- **Definition of a Motorcycle:** Educate policymakers and advocate for change to the current definition that better reflects the current two and three-wheel motorcycle landscape.
- **Emission Regulations:** Engage the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) & Congress on any activity related to motorcycle emission regulations.
- **Helmet Laws/Equipment Mandates:** Oppose any mandatory federal helmet or personal protective equipment/apparel mandates.
- **Internal Combustion Engines:** Work to ensure the survival of internal combustion engines.
- **Profiling:** Sustain lobbying efforts for the passage of resolutions or legislation that promote awareness and the prohibition of motorcyclist profiling.
- **Renewable Fuels:** Advocate for targeted changes to the Renewable Fuel Standard (RFS).
- **Right to Repair/Modify:** Protect and advocate for “Right to Repair” provisions that allow consumers the ability to repair and modify their motorcycles.
- **Surface Transportation Reauthorization (Highway Bill):** Advocate and pursue legislative efforts related to the next highway bill reauthorization (the current act is set to expire in 2026).
- **Vulnerable Roadway User Terminology:** Monitor and ensure that motorcycles and motorcyclists are a specific and unique category or classification.

Remember, a full list of all 24 items on the legislative agenda with further details will be included in your January issue of the American Biker Journal. Thank you for supporting the MRF. It’s time to get to work!

Safety & Education

DUSTY DRIBLER

TIRES. What do you know about your tires? Did you know that you should replace your tires every six years? Did you know that there is a four-digit number on your tire that tells you when they were made? Did you know you should use the same tire gauge ever time? The two tools that you should have is one, a good tire gauge dial, stick gauges are good but the dial ones are better, two a tire tread gauge. They do make a combo gauge that makes it easier.

There are three things you should know about your tires.

- **ONE:** Always check your tire pressure when the tires are cold, warm tires give false readings due to the expansion of the air when it warms up. **DO NOT** keep your tire pressures at the max pressure that's marked on the tire, go off what your manual tells you to use.
- **TWO:** Check your tire tread depth. Do not check the tread depth at the triangles on the side walls of the tire but check at the opposite side of the triangles. Use a good tire tread gauge. Tire tread should be above 3/32 seconds, if it is at 3/32 seconds or below replace the tires immediately. The reason for the tread depth is to get the water to flow away from the tire.
- **THREE:** Make sure your tires are round. I know, **HEY DUMBASS**, all tires are round, but are they? I know the **ILLINOIS** roads are perfect but occasional we all hit a pothole. After you hit a few guess what happens to your rims, a nick here, a dimple there and a few loose spokes. The best way to test for a loose spoke is to play the drums on each and every spoke and when one sounds flat you have a loose spoke. I promise you will hear the difference. I strongly recommend having a certified mechanic repair them. Your back tire is the one that usually gets loose spokes due to hard acceleration and the torque that the back tire receives.

That's all I have this month, enjoy the last few days of riding and be safe.

Dusty Dibler - Safety & Education
Coordinator



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“Senate Confirms NHTSA Administrator”

Last week, the U.S. Senate confirmed Jonathan Morrison to serve as Administrator of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA). Morrison is the first Senate-confirmed leader of the agency since 2022.

This confirmation comes at a pivotal moment for transportation safety. NHTSA is responsible for overseeing dozens of open investigations into potential defects in cars and trucks, including several high-profile cases involving Tesla. However, more importantly for the Motorcycle Riders Foundation (MRF), Morrison will lead the federal government’s efforts to craft regulations for autonomous vehicles (AVs).

At his July confirmation hearing, Morrison told lawmakers that NHTSA “cannot sit back and wait for problems to arrive with such developing technologies.” He emphasized the need for federal rules to accelerate the deployment of self-driving cars. While the MRF agrees that strong leadership is needed in this area, we remain vigilant to ensure that “rapid deployment” does not come at the expense of motorcyclist safety.

For years, the MRF has warned that automated driving systems too often fail to properly detect and respond to motorcycles. This is not a hypothetical risk, it’s a real-world danger when testing and regulations are written without motorcyclists in mind. As the nation’s top auto safety regulator, Morrison will have a direct hand in determining whether motorcycles are prioritized in testing protocols, data collection, and performance standards for AVs.

The MRF will closely monitor NHTSA’s next steps and continue to make the case in Washington that the safety of motorcyclists must never be overlooked in the rush to roll out self-driving technology. Policymakers, industry leaders, and regulators need to hear from riders across the country. Your continued support ensures that the MRF can keep fighting for your right to ride free and safe, no matter what new technologies emerge on America’s roads.



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The Roving Reporter

Let's ask pertinent questions today; Are you a fair weather rider? Why did you join the ABATE organization? Do you wear a helmet? Do you wear long pants when riding your motorcycle? Do you wear boots that covers your ankle? How about gloves? None of the above? Well it's a matter of time when these questions will be brought up in the Halls of Congress and then what are you going to do to stop from being legislated into submission? These are just questions folks, it's still up to you to help yourself and your fellow motorcycle enthusiast to avoid the pitfalls of government interference. Be a part of this organization not just a name on the roster.

Right now there are positions within your Chapter that are up for election; the list is Vice President, Secretary, Products, Membership, State Rep/Legislative, Public Relations and Attendance. If any of these positions peak your interest file a letter of intent and the elections will be next month. You say you don't exactly know what the job entitles, try going to our website or call Shannon Johnson for a copy of the job description. Easy Peasey.

In January there will be reading of our highlighted By-Laws to keep you abreast of any changes or needed changes.

To all the people who have stepped up over the years in protecting our rights as motorcyclists; I THANK YOU FOR YOUR DEDICATION to the motorcycling community.

We had a speaker that involved your well being, it had to do with cancer screening, specificity colon cancer. Instead of first having a colonoscopy or doing a color guard test, why not have a blood test? Yes a blood test. There has been discussion that was opened up to have a testing done after one of our meetings. For more information about this procedure contact:

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Your Roving Reporter

PS: This will be my last article for the next 6 months unless someone else decides to write. I'm spending my winter months in a warmer climate. See you in the Spring!

Monthly Drawing

To Qualify:

You must be an active Peo-Taz member and you must be at the meeting.
Board members are included.

The October 2025 drawing was held on Oct 5th at the monthly meeting. Adam Smith, we drew your name and you weren't here. Sorry Adam you missed out on \$130 dollars. The November pot will be worth \$140!



Remember you must be present to win.

Ride with the Leaders!

Thousands of motorcyclist rights activists have attended MRF sponsored annual regional and national workshops since 1985. These workshops provide the nuts and bolts, "user friendly" subjects and training to assist motorcyclists in defending, building, and strengthening their grass roots organizations.

Motorcycle Riders Foundation is proud to present their annual conference for politically motivated motorcyclists! Spend the weekend with some of motorcycling's most educated and dedicated activists. Learn what issues will impact bikers today and in the future!

Use the applications below to join and support the Motorcycle Riders Foundation and to pre-register for the 26th annual Meeting of the Minds, September 23-26 at the Holiday Inn City Centre, Peoria, Illinois.



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BEN MADIGAN

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Love you all! Be safe! Ben and Pam



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New Member (1) _____ (2) _____ Renewal (1) _____ (2) _____ Date _____

Chapter Preference _____

Name (1) _____ (2) _____

Mailing Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip _____ Phone (_____) _____ County _____

E-Mail address (1) _____ (2) _____

ABATE uses your email to send updates on events and rights issues - we do not sell or send ads to your email.

MARK TO OPT OUT ☐ Newsletter ☐ Year Rocker Date of Birth (1) _____ (2) _____

Where did you hear about ABATE? _____

I understand that A.B.A.T.E. of Illinois cannot assume responsibility for my safety and that if I participate in any sanctioned event, I do so voluntarily, assuming all risk; I release and hold A.B.A.T.E. harmless for any injury or loss to my personal property which may result therefrom. I understand this means that I agree not to sue A.B.A.T.E. for any injury resulting to myself or my property at any event. I agree to comply with the Bylaws and act in the best interest of A.B.A.T.E. of Illinois. A copy of ABATE-PAC's report is or will be filed with the State Board of Elections, Springfield, IL.

Signature(s) _____

*** \$2. of each members dues is allocated to lobbying expense ***

• **MONEYSAVER SPECIAL:**

• **ABATE-PAC SUPPORT:**

☐ \$30.00 PER YEAR SINGLE

☐ \$120.00 - 5 YEARS / SINGLE

☐ \$55.00 PER YEAR COUPLE

☐ \$220.00 - 5 YEARS / COUPLE

☐ Add \$1.00 per year to above dues amount to support legislative contributions.

Amount \$ _____ ☐ Check enclosed. Charge to: ☐ Visa ☐ Mastercard ☐ Discover

Credit Card No. _____ CSC _____ Exp. Date: _____ Signature _____

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE & MAIL TO:
• **MUST BE 18 TO JOIN** •

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If you would prefer to receive your Peo-Taz Newsletter electronically via email, it would greatly help the chapter! Please email us at PeoTazNews@gmail.com. Your information will NOT be shared! Thank you!

Is your membership expiration date highlighted?
If it is, Renew Today!



Peo-Taz membership meetings are held at the VFW, 4518 S Lafayette Ave Bartonville, IL on the first Sunday Each Month at 1:30pm.

A.B.A.T.E. needs YOU!

Call to Action

There are more owners of motorcycles, atv's and dirt bikes than ever before. However, our membership state wide is lower than it has been in a decade.

WHO WILL FIGHT FOR YOUR RIGHTS?

When Trailer plate prices were raised by 555% A.B.A.T.E. was the only organization that addressed it. A.B.A.T.E. is ever vigilant on keeping Illinois a helmet by choice state. (Illinois vs Freis)